



LEGISLATIVE BRANCH CITY OF BINGHAMTON

William Berg, City Council President
Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk

MINUTES

City Council Organizational Meeting
City Council Work Room, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, N.Y.
Monday January 5, 2015

CALL TO ORDER

Called to order by City Clerk Pelletier at 5:30pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

City Clerk Pelletier led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Present: Jerry Motsavage, Joseph Mihalko, Teri Rennia, Lea Webb, Chris Papastrat, John Matzo, Bill Berg

Absent: None

Also in attendance: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk; Kenneth J. Frank, Corporation Counsel

SELECTION OF CITY COUNCIL OFFICERS

City Council President. City Clerk Pelletier opened the floor to receive nominations for the position of City Council President. Councilwoman Rennia nominated Councilman Berg.

Seeing no other nominations, Council members voted for the position of City Council President by stating the name of the individual each wished to appoint to the position.

Councilman Motsavage: Councilman Berg
Councilman Mihalko: Councilman Berg
Councilwoman Rennia: Councilman Berg
Councilwoman Webb: Councilman Berg
Councilman Papastrat: Councilman Berg
Councilman Matzo: Councilman Berg
Councilman Berg: Councilman Berg

Seven votes were received for Councilman Berg accepted the position of City Council President for the year 2015.

City Council President Pro-Tempore. City Council President Berg opened the floor to receive nominations for the position of City Council President Pro-Tempore. Councilman President Berg nominated Councilwoman Webb.

Seeing no other nominations, Council members voted for the position of City Council President Pro-Tempore by stating the name of the individual each wished to appoint to the position.

Councilman Motsavage: Councilwoman Webb
Councilman Mihalko: Councilwoman Webb
Councilwoman Rennia: Councilwoman Webb
Councilwoman Webb: Councilwoman Webb



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Councilman Papastrat: Councilwoman Webb
Councilman Matzo: Councilwoman Webb
Councilman Berg: Councilwoman Webb

Seven votes were received for Councilwoman Webb. Councilwoman Webb accepted the position of City Council President Pro-Tempore for the year 2015.

Majority Leader. Council President Berg announced that the City Council Majority Leader for the year 2015 would be Councilwoman Rennia

Minority Leader. Councilman Matzo announced that the City Council Minority Leader for the year 2015 would be Councilman Papastrat.

CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEES & APPOINTMENTS

City Council President noted for the record the names of the Council members appointed to various City committees, boards and commissions.

City Council Finance Committee. Councilman Motsavage (Chair), Councilwoman Rennia, Councilman Papastrat

City Council Planning & Community Development Committee. Councilman Webb (Chair), Councilwoman Rennia, Councilman Mihalko

City Council Municipal & Public Affairs Committee. Councilwoman Rennia (Chair), Councilman Webb, Councilman Matzo

City Council Public Works/Parks & Recreation Committee. Councilman Motsavage (Chair), Councilwoman Rennia, Councilman Mihalko

City Council Employees Committee. Councilwoman Webb (Chair), Councilman Motsavage, Councilman Papastrat

City Council Special Studies/Rules & Procedures Committee. Councilwoman Rennia (Chair), Councilman Motsavage, Councilman Matzo

Binghamton Local Development Corporation Council Representatives. Councilwoman Webb, Councilman Papastrat

Binghamton Urban Renewal Agency Council Representatives. Councilman Matzo, Councilwoman Webb.

Commission on Architecture and Urban Design Council Representative. Councilman Matzo

Binghamton Parking Authority Council Representative. Councilman Matzo

Traffic Board Council Representative. Council President Berg

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 5:52pm.



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Moved by Mihalko, seconded by Webb.

Voice vote, none opposed.